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APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

- (X) Specification in twenty-one (21) pages.
- (X) Drawings in one (1) sheet.

OTHER APPLICATION PARTS:

- (X) Information Disclosure Statement and PTO-1449 in 2 total pages (IDS and 1449).
 - (X) Four (4) references
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